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or an original, first and joint inventor
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of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a Patent is
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MEDIA STORAGE APPARATUS.

the specification of which

☒ is attached hereto.

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the
above-identified specification, including the claims,
as Amended by any Amendment referred to above.

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examination and Patentability of this Application in accordance with
Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations 1.56.

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United States Code, 119 of any Foreign Application(s) for Patent or
inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any
Foreign Application for Patent or inventor's certificate having a
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| Prior Foreign Application(s) | Priority Claimed |
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of any United States Application(s) listed below and, insofar as the
subject matter of each of the claims of this Application is not
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1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior
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| <u>06/756,716</u> Application No.) | <u>7/18/85</u> Filing Date) | <u>U.S. Patent No. 4,714,157</u> Status - Patented, Pending, Abandoned) |
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FOR: MEDIA STORAGE APPARATUS

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor as defined in 37 CFR 1.9 c for the purposes of paying reduced fees to the Patent and Trademark Office with regard to the invention entitled

MEDIA STORAGE APPARATUS described in

☒ the Specification filed herewith.

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